

AN ACT to amend Tennessee Code Annotated, Title 36,
relative to parenting plans.

BE IT ENACTED BY THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF TENNESSEE:

SECTION 1. Tennessee Code Annotated, Section 36-6-404, is amended by inserting the following as a new, appropriately designated subsection thereto:

(_) The administrative office of the courts shall develop a "Parenting Plan" form that shall be used consistently by each court within the state that approves parenting plans pursuant to §§ 36-6-403 or 36-6-404 on and after July 1, 2005. The administrative office of the courts shall be responsible for distributing such form for the use of those courts no later than June 1, 2005. The administrative office of the courts shall be responsible for updating such form as it deems necessary, in consultation with the Tennessee family law commission, the domestic relations committee of the Tennessee judicial conference, and other knowledgeable persons.

SECTION 2. This act shall take effect upon becoming a law, the public welfare requiring it.

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